



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Art Unit: 1646
TORIGOE et al.) Examiner: D. Jiang *B/C*
Appln. No.: 09/786,130) Washington, D.C. *DGJ*
Filed: March 1, 2001) March 24, 2003 *4/1/03*
For: INTERLEUKIN 18-BINDING) Atty. Docket: TORIGOE=4
PROTEIN...)
Confirmation No. 8207)

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 22, 2002,
petition and payment for a two month extension of time being
attached hereto (March 22, 2003, fell on a Saturday), please
amend as follows:

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